



Canadian Jewish Heritage Network



ARCAND, Adrien (collection).

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Description Level: Fonds

Physical Description: 0.54 metres of textual records.

Scope and Content:

Fascist newspapers, pamphlets and newsletters. Press clippings by and about Arcand.
Canadian Jewish Congress correspondence relating to Arcand and anti-Semitism

Date: 1931-1986.

Fonds No.: P0005

History Biographical:

Born in 1899, Adrien Arcand was the leader of a French-Canadian antisemitic movement in the 1930s, the Parti National Social Chrétien (National Social Christian Party), which, under his leadership, later merged with other fascist groups to form the National Unity Party. He published and/or wrote for numerous antisemitic publications such as *Le Miroir*, *Le Goglu*, *Le Fasciste Canadien*, *L'Unité Nationale*, and *Serviam*. He fought against Jewish rights in education and was interned by the Canadian government during WWII, from 1940-1945. After his release he continued his antisemitic and political activities. He died in 1967.

Custodial History: This material was collected by CJC staff and concerned persons in the Jewish community.

Notes:

12 cm., mainly correspondence. Photographs file PC1-3-77.

Archival / Archival Descriptions

Genealogical:

Repository: Canadian Jewish Archives